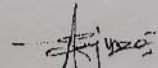


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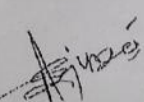
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Eco – 113	Research Methodology OR	04	60	50
Eco-113 (A)	Regional Economics			
Eco – 114	Industrial Economics OR	04	60	50
Eco- 114 (A)	Foreign Trade and International Institutions	04	60	50
Eco – 115	Indian Economic Thinker OR	04	60	50
Eco – 115 (A)	Economic Thoughts of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar and Mahatma Phule OR	04	60	50
Eco- 115(B)	Econometrics OR	04	60	50
Eco- 115 (C)	Economy of Maharashtra			
Eco – 116	Project Work (Annual Assessment)	04	60	100

**Note:**

- 1] One period of 50 minutes.
- 2] 15 periods = 01 credit
- 3] 04 credits = 60 periods
- 4] Each paper is comprised of 04 credits.

  
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## ***B.A.T.Y. SEMESTER - VI***

### **ECO – 113      Research Methodology**

#### **Objectives:**

The main objective of this paper is to provide information about social sciences research to the students of economics. This paper deals with importance of social research, research design, data collection and presentation of data.

#### **Unit: I      Introduction:**

Meaning, nature, scope and objectives of social science research, Theory, concepts, hypothesis, stages of scientific research, Motivating factors of social research.

#### **Unit: II      Research Design:**

Meaning and need of research design; Types of research design (only introduction)– descriptive, exploratory, diagnostic and experimental.

#### **Unit: III      Data Collection:**

Facts- features; Primary data collection methods- Direct observation, questionnaire, schedule, interview; Secondary data collection methods- Personal documents, Public documents and Limitations.

#### **Unit: IV      Data Presentation and Analysis:**

One– dimensional diagrams; Two– dimensional diagrams; Graphs of time series; Graphs of frequency distribution.

#### ***BASIC READING LIST:***

- Kothari, C.R. (1988), *Research Methodology Method and Techniques*, Wiley Eastern Limited, New Delhi.
- Ghose, B.N. (1982), *Scientific Methods and Social Research*, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
- Goode William J. and Hatt, Paul (1952), *Methods in Social Research*, McGraw Hill, New York.
- Gopal, M.H. (1964), *An Introduction to Research Procedure in Social Sciences*, Asia Publishing House, Mumbai.



**Objectives:**

In the contemporary world with globalization and liberalization more and more attention is being given to industry. This paper intends to provide knowledge to the students on the basic issues such as concepts and organization of a firm, productivity, efficiency, capacity utilization and debates involved in the industrial development of India.

**Unit I: Introduction:**

Need, importance and role of industries in economic and social development, Industry and agriculture sector linkages, Industrial classification.

**Unit II: Industrial Organization and Ownership Structure:**

Public, Private, Joint and Co-operative sectors, private corporate sector, MNCS and their role.

**Unit III: Location and Dispersion:**

Location of industries - Theories of location, diversification, integration and merger of industrial units, Dispersion and problem of regional imbalance.

**Unit IV: Composition of Industrial Sector:**

Structure of large - scale industries in India. Sugar, Cotton, Iron and Steel, Agro Processing Industries, Cottage and Village Industries and Rural industrialization.

**BASIC READING LIST:**

- Barthwal, R.R. (1992), Industrial Economics: An Introductory Text Book, Wiley Eastern Ltd. New Delhi.
- Cherunilam, F. (1994), Industrial Economics: Indian Perspective, (3rd Edition), Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.
- Desai, B. (1999), Industrial Economy in India, (3rd Edition), Himalaya Publishing House, Mumbai.

## **ECO-115: Indian Economic Thinkers**

### **Objectives:**

This paper is essential for a student who aspires for advanced training in economics in India. The evolution of economic idea in each instance was as much a response to immediate economic problems and policy issues as much as it was a self-conscious attempt to refine earlier analysis by correcting mistakes and filling in the gaps in analysis.

### **Unit- I: Economic Thought of Koutilya:**

Economic policies, concept of welfare state, principle of taxation.

### **Unit- II: Economic Ideas of Nauroji, Ranade and Datt:**

Economic ideas of Dadabhai Nauroji – contribution to economic policies, Drain Theory, M.G. Ranade- Economic policies, political economic policies. R.C. Dutt- Economic ideas. Manvendra Roy- Economic ideas and concept of new humanism.

**Unit- III: Economic Ideas of Mahatma Gandhi:**  
Economic ideas of Mahatma Gandhi– Sarvodaya, Village Swaraj, Swadeshi. Dr. B.R.Ambedkar- State socialism, Problems of Rupee, Public finance. Mahatma Phule's views on agriculture, reasons of farmer's poverty. D.R. Gadgil- Economic planning & co-operation, Y.B. Chavan: Thoughts of agriculture, industries & socialism.

**Unit- IV: Economic Thoughts of Amartya Sen:**  
Economic welfare, Social Choice.

## ECO- 116 Project Work (Annual Assessment)

**Objectives:** This course will inform students about the project writings skill as per the study of research methodology techniques. It's also deals with the deep study of specific topic.

### Note:

1. The evaluation of completed project works and presentation examination will be done in the presence of external examiner appointed by University Authority. Scheme of marking will be done as per the following manner.
    - A) Project Report : 80 marks
    - B) Presentation : 20 marks
  2. Schedule of project work of examination will be in the month of February (at the end of VI<sup>th</sup> semester).
  3. Passing criteria will be 40 marks out of 100 marks.
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